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MEMORANDUM FOR: Members of the Advisory Committee on Foreign
Language Publications

SUBJECT : Expansion of Foreign Language Publications
Coverage for the IAC

REFERENCE : Report to the Advisory Committee on Foreign Language
Publications by the Subcommittee on Exploitation of
Foreign Language Publications, 7 August 1956

1. PROBLEM:

To meet additional IAC requirements for exploitation of foreign language publications, as expressed by the Subcommittee on Exploitation of Foreign Language Publications.

2. FACTS BEARING ON THE PROBLEM:

- a. The Subcommittee on Exploitation of Foreign Language Publications has reported the need for additional reporting of information on the Soviet Bloc. (Appendix B of referenced report)
- b. Foreign Documents Division, in meeting its present commitments to IAC requirements, is operating at the total capacity of its current personnel ceiling. All other IAC exploitation facilities are fully committed.
- c. Valuable new and important supplementary intelligence information is contained in the increasing number and variety of Soviet Bloc publications now being made available.

3. DISCUSSION

- a. Pursuant to the responsibility of the ACFLP to assist the Director of Central Intelligence in the implementation of NSCID-16, the fulfillment of the additional requirements of the IAC as identified in the Subcommittee on Exploitation Report should be called to his attention.
- b. The method of dealing with the problem is clearly outside the responsibility of the ACFLP.

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4. CONCLUSION:

- a. The ACFLP should report the problem to the Director of Central Intelligence with recommendation that necessary steps be taken to alleviate it.

5. RECOMMENDATION:

- a. That the attached draft of a letter to the DCI be approved for transmittal by the Chairman.

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Chairman
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